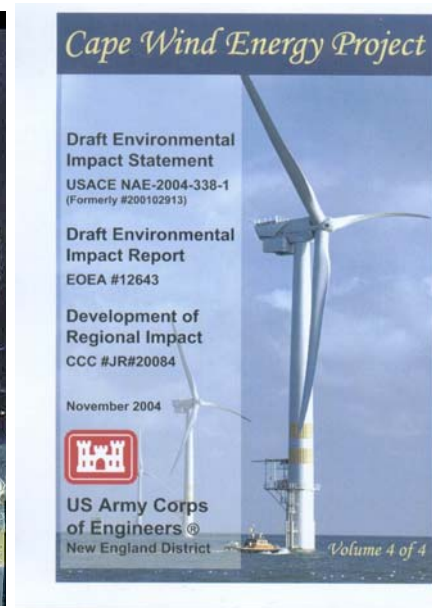




Cape Wind DEIS Public Information Meeting

Cape Cod Community College January 8, 2005



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Purpose of Meeting

- Discuss the joint document issued by the Army Corps of Engineers (DEIS, DEIR, DRI)
 - What it is
 - How it was drafted
 - What's in it
- Answer questions about the ongoing federal and state regulatory processes



Meeting Structure

- **Overview of MEPA Process**
 - James Hunt, Director of the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act Office
- **Overview of CZM Process**
 - Deerin Babb-Brott, Assistant Director for Planning and Coastal Development, Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management



Meeting Structure

- **Summary of Cape Wind DEIS**
 - Karen Adams, Project Manager for the US Army Corps of Engineers, New England District
- **Question and Answer period**
 - Questions must be submitted in writing (index cards & pencils provided)



Ground Rules

- All questions to the panel submitted in writing
- Because the DEIS is currently under review, representatives from the state regulatory agencies will NOT be commenting on the document's content



Ground Rules

- We will attempt to address as many topics as possible during the time allotted. We do not have the ability to answer questions following the close of the meeting
- Submissions questioning the motives and/or intent of individuals, agencies or organizations will not be considered



Ground Rules

It is our hope that everyone will honor and follow the ground rules set forth for this meeting.



Moderator's Role

- Enforce the meeting ground rules
- Attempt to cover the broadest range of topics during the Q & A session
- Maintain a respectful environment throughout the meeting



MTC

- The state's development agency for renewable energy and the innovation economy
- Administers the Massachusetts Renewable Energy Trust
 - Established as part of the 1997 Electric Restructuring Act



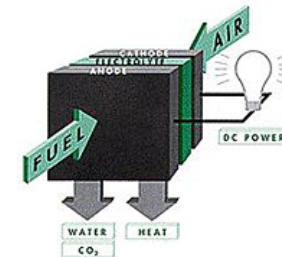
MA Renewable Energy Trust

The Renewable Energy Trust was established in 1998 to increase the supply & demand for energy from clean sources, and to promote the development of a vibrant Massachusetts renewable energy industry



RENEWABLE SOURCES

- Wind
- Biomass
- Solar
- Hydroelectric
- Fuel cells
- Ocean Wave/Tidal



Cape & Islands Offshore Wind Stakeholder Process





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- MTC convened a six-month stakeholder group process that examined the issues related to the Cape Wind project
- More than 40 key individuals representing the interests of the Cape & Islands as well as non-governmental organizations, state and federal agencies, and elected officials participated in this dialogue



Cape & Islands Offshore Wind Stakeholder Process

Our goal was not to achieve consensus, but rather to discover and communicate objective information relevant to the proposed project that would help decision makers and average citizens participate in the permitting process in the most informed and constructive manner possible.



This meeting is a continuation of that process and commitment.

Thank you for coming and for adhering to our ground rules.

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